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### Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning

Transportation Committee Agenda Friday April 25, 2008

Cook County Conference Room 233 S. Wacker Drive, Suite 800, Sears Tower Chicago, Illinois

#### 1.0 Call to Order and Introductions

9:30 a.m.

Luann Hamilton, Committee Chair

- 2.0 Agenda Changes and Announcements
- 3.0 Approval of Minutes March 28, 2008

ACTION REQUESTED: Approval

#### 4.0 Coordinating Committee Reports

The Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Transportation Committee will give updates on their respective coordinating committee's actions at their latest meetings.

**ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion** 

#### 5.0 RTA Update (Leanne Redden)

This will be a standing committee agenda item for RTA to update the committee on implementation of HB 656 and other relevant topics. ACTION REQUESTED: Discussion

## 6.0 Transportation Improvement Program (TIP) Amendments and Administrative Modifications (Holly Ostdick)

Approvals of TIP revisions that exceed amendment thresholds have been requested. The TIP Amendments and Revisions are attached. ACTION REQUESTED: Approval

# 7.0 2030 Regional Transportation Plan Update, FY 2007-2012 Transportation Improvement Program Amendments, and Air Quality Conformity Analysis (Ross Patronsky)

TIP revisions and an RTP Update requiring a conformity analysis have been proposed. The analysis has been completed and must be released for a 30-day public comment period.

ACTION REQUESTED: Release Conformity Analysis, TIP Revisions, and RTP Update for public comment

#### 8.0 Fiscal Year 2009 Unified Work Program (FY 09 UWP) (Matt Maloney)

The UWP committee has included the list of projects considered for funding for FY09.

ACTION REQUESTED: Approval to release the proposed FY 2009 UWP for public comment

#### 9.0 Aging Snapshot (Russell Pietrowiak)

The Regional Snapshot on Aging will be presented. ACTION REQUESTED: Informational

# 10.0 FREQ Simulation and Ramp Meter/HOV Bypass Optimization for the Northwest Study Area (Jose Rodriguez, Kazuya Kawamura UIC Urban Transportation Center)

A presentation of traveler, system, and environmental benefits achievable by the implementation of HOV priority entry ramps along I-290/II 53, as determined by the traffic simulation software package FREQ. HOV priority entry systems are a complementary transportation management strategy that supports larger scale HOV/HOT networks. An I-290 HOV corridor extending from the I-294/I-88 merge eastward to Austin Boulevard is recommended as a major capital project in the 2030 RTP. ACTION REQUESTED: Informational

#### 11.0 Other Business

#### 12.0 Next Meeting

The next meeting is scheduled for May 23, 2008 at 9:30 a.m. in the Cook County Room.

#### 13.0 Adjournment

### **Transportation Committee Members:**

Charles Abraham	Fran Klaas	Mike Rogers
Vanessa Adams ***	Don Kopec	Joe Schofer
Thomas Cuculich**	Paul Losos	Dick Smith
Chris DiPalma ***	Mike McLaughlin	Jeffrey Sriver
Rocky Donahue	Jan Metzger	Steve Strains
John Fortmann	Arlene Mulder	Vonu Thakuriah
Bruce Gould	Randy Neufeld	Paula Trigg
Rupert Graham Jr	Jason Osborn	Mary Wells
Jack Groner	Leanne Redden	Ken Yunker
Luann Hamilton*	Thomas Rickert	Tom Zapler
*Chair, **Vice-Chair, ***Non-Voting		